Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 13 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Sunday 14 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Saturday 13 Feb 2021 at 02:01

Confidence: High for a change to milder, wetter conditions over the weekend, but lower confidence for timing of milder air arrival and for precipitation details.

Headline for Saturday 13 Feb 2021: A dry, cold and quite bright start but cloud increasing to bring snow by the afternoon, though dry again by evening. Rather windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 13 Feb 2021

Blizzards Low Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** Low Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light snow	Light snow	Light snow	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	20%	80%	40%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A dry, quite bright start. Cloud will thicken and lower in morning to bring outbreaks of snow likely by the afternoon. Perhaps some heavier snow in the west, with blizzard conditions possible, before snow fizzles out through the afternoon. A mostly dry evening follows with some cloud breaks developing.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 90% to start but falling to 10% in snow by the afternoon. Chance improving to 40% in evening.

Visibility: Good at first, but falling moderate or poor in snow and very poor at height with extensive cloud and bases dropping to 400m. Cloud more broken and occasionally above summits in evening

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	36/49 SE	34/46 SE	33/44 SE	32/44 SE	31/45 SE	30/44 SE	32/46 SE
300	11/25 E	13/29 E	12/28 SE	12/26 SE	13/30 SE	19/40 SE	14/29 SE
Valley	12/27 E	13/27 E	11/24 E	12/26 E	13/25 E	8/15 E	14/25 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-6/-17	-6/-16	-4/-14	-4/-14	-4/-14	-3/-12	-2/-11
300	-3/-9	-3/-9	-2/-7	-2/-7	-2/-7	-0/-7	0/-5
Valley	-3/-9	-2/-8	-1/-6	-1/-7	-1/-7	-1/-4	1/-4
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A severe chill expected, even at lower levels. Winter equipment essential.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Sat 13 Feb 2021	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Sunday 14 Feb 2021

Weather: Mainly dry but cloudy overnight and temperatures rising. Rain arriving from west around daybreak, perhaps falling as snow on the tops at first. Rain will become heavier and more prolonged through the morning, with icy conditions likely for a time, followed by a thaw of lying snow. Rain clearing in evening and some clear spells developing along with mist and fog in places.

Maximum wind: Southeast 40-50 gust 55-65 mph turning southwest 30 gust 40 mph later

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 40% at first, but almost no chance from mid-morning

Visibility: Good at first, then poor or very poor with extensive cloud down to 400m. Improving moderate or good in evening, but poor or very poor places with mist and fog.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Zero Celsius overnight rising to Plus 8 Celsius
At 600m: Minus 3 Celsius soon rising to Plus 4 Celsius
Freezing level: 400m overnight then rising above the summits through the morning

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